OBITUARY

Ruth E. Burdge, 97, of Lopatcong Township, Phillipsburg, NJ passed away on Tuesday, March 23, 2010 at the Brakeley Care Center, Lopatcong Township, NJ. Born: December 14, 1912 in Star Port, Waterloo, NJ, she was a daughter of the late Kiernan Grover and the late Mary Connelly. Personal: Her husband David Nelson Burdge passed away in September 1966. She resided for most of her life between Budd Lake and Hackettstown, NJ, and for the past 10 years at Brakeley Care Center. She retired in 1975 after 11 years as an assembly line worker for Dover Handbag in Netcong, NJ. Survivors: son, Roy Burdge and his wife Elsie with whom she resided with for 32 years in Hackettstown; sisters, Jeanette Swayze of Flanders, NJ, Joyce Rosa of Succasunna, NJ; two grandchildren, David Burdge and Jean Silvent; six great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by one grandson, Thomas Burdge of Hackettstown in 1964, one great-granddaughter, Lisa Silvent in 1997, sisters, Dorothy King of FL. and Peggy Munson of Flanders. Services: Services will be Friday, March 26, 2010 at 7 p.m. at the Scala Memorial Home, 124 High St., Hackettstown, NJ, Pastor Robert Mayer will conduct the service. Friends may call on Friday from 5 to 9 p.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be Saturday, in the Pequest Union Cemetery, Great Meadows, NJ. Memorials: In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Brakeley Care Center, 290 Red School Lane, Phillipsburg, NJ 08865.

The Express Times on March 25, 2010:

NAME: Burdge, Ruth E. (Grover)

DATE OF DEATH: March 23, 2010